

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. An information processing system incorporating a shift function to a suspend mode and a restore function to a normal operation mode from the suspend mode, and interlocking with an  
5 imaging device, said system comprising:

a control unit controlling the shift function and the restore function;

a signal receiving unit receiving an imaging indication signal from said imaging device; and

10 an imaging indication signal detection unit starting the restore function when receiving the imaging indication signal in the suspend mode.

2. An information processing system according to claim  
15 1, wherein said control unit, when receiving the imaging indication signal in the suspend mode, executes a shift from the suspend mode to the normal operation mode and a record of photographed-image data received immediately after the shift to the normal operation mode.

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3. A control method of controlling an information processing system incorporating a shift function to a suspend mode and a restore function to a normal operation mode from the suspend mode, and interlocking with an imaging device, said  
25 method comprising:

shifting said information processing system to the suspend mode from the normal operation mode;

restoring said information processing system to the suspend mode to the normal operation mode; and

restoring said information processing system to the normal operation mode when receiving an imaging indication signal from  
5 an imaging device in the suspend mode.

4. A control method of an information processing system according to claim 3, further comprising receiving the imaging indication signal in the suspend mode, and recording  
10 photographed-image data to be received immediately after restoring said information processing system to the normal operation mode from the suspend mode.